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UNITED KINGDOM

Application No. 8232892

Filed 19 November 1982

On 22 November 1982 directions were given under Section 22(1) prohibiting publication of information contained in the above-numbered application for defence reasons. These directions are still in force, but the applicant(s) is/are hereby authorised to apply in.....United States of America..... for grant of a patent in respect of matter contained in the application, subject to the conditions set forth below:-

- (1) The application has been classified by a defence authority of the United Kingdom as.....^{Secret}..... and the receiving Government shall be requested to place the corresponding application in secrecy and accord it at least the equivalent security classification.
- (2) The corresponding application shall be abandoned if this action becomes necessary to ensure secrecy.
- (3) All correspondence relating to the corresponding application shall be transmitted solely through officially recognised adequately secure communication channels. All persons in the receiving country required to deal with the patent application there shall have been authorized to have access to such security classified information and be able to provide adequate physical security.
- (4) The applicant(s) shall make available to the receiving Government for defence purposes a copy of the application filed in that country.

This permit applies only to matter disclosed in the United Kingdom application, and it does not authorise the making of an application under the European Patent Convention or the Patent Cooperation Treaty.

A H W Kennard
for the Comptroller

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Application of David W. Joynson, et al.

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Group Art Unit: 220

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New York, New York
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Hon. Commissioner of Patents
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COMMUNICATION

Sir:

Kindly file the attached Declaration in replacement of the Declaration on file in the present application. The original Declaration was executed on October 18, 1982. The substitute Declaration was executed on April 18, 1983.

The reason for the filing of the substitute Declaration is that the original Declaration only referred to one cognate UK application, namely number 8136055, filed November 30, 1981. Actually, the present application is cognate with two UK applications, which are application numbers 8136055 and 8232892. The substitute Declaration also specifies the filings in West Germany, Sweden, France and Italy (the latter two under the European Convention). The latter UK application was filed on November 19, 1982.

It is believed that it would be proper, under the circumstances, for a new Secrecy Order to be issued herein over

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and above the Secrecy Order which was issued when the application was originally filed, this first Secrecy Order having been issued on April 11, 1983.

In order that all parties be advised of the present circumstances, a copy of this letter and of the Declaration to be substituted has been sent to the Secretary, Armed Services Patent Advisory Board, Office of the Judge Advocate General, Department of the Army and also to British Defence Research & Development Staff, Intellectual Property Rights, British Embassy as well as to the Central Patent Department of the General Electric Co. p.l.c., who forwarded the pertinent papers to the undersigned for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

Also attached hereto for filing is a "Conditional Permit For Filing A Patent Application Outside The United Kingdom" for the second UK application, namely 8232892 issued by A.H.W. Kennard, acting for the Comptroller of the United Kingdom Patent Office.

Finally, applicants hereby claim the benefit of the filing of their British application 8232892 in the UK on November 19, 1982.

This priority claim is made under Rule 55 of the Rules of Practice and Section 119 of the Patent Act of 1952.

Respectfully submitted,

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